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MEMORANDUM FOR: Executive Secretary, United States Intelligence Board
THROUGH : Chairman, Steering Committee for Emergency Planning
SUBJECT : Emergency Planning
REFERENCE : USIB D-7.1/6 dtd 9 Sep 59

1. The Cost Estimates Committee does not contemplate the development of any emergency plans as the members of this Committee do not consider the work performed by the Committee absolutely essential during the period of a real emergency.

2. This Committee is primarily concerned with the production of a coordinated annual estimate of foreign intelligence costs which is based upon individual estimates prepared and submitted to the Committee by the reporting agencies of the USIB.

3. The members of the Cost Estimates Committee are, for the most part, individuals whose primary activity is concerned with the fiscal and related problems of the agencies they represent. If, under emergency conditions, cost estimates data on a community basis were needed, it is believed that the Committee members could develop the individual estimates required and transmit them to some central point for integration by use of whatever normal communication channels were available.

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